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PATENT
Attorney Docket No. A-2-6

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)	
)	Examiner: L. Cohen
PHILIP E. EGGERS et al.)	
)	Art Unit: 3739
Application No.: 09/314,247)	
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Filed: May 18, 1999)	AMENDMENT
)	
For: SYSTEM FOR TREATING ARTICULAR)	
CARTILAGE DEFECTS)	
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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In response to the Communication mailed March 9, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 91 as follows:

91. (Amended) The system of claim [82] 83 wherein the electrically conductive fluid has originated from an external source outside of the patient's body.

REMARKS

Claims 80, 82, 84, 85, 87-92, 94-99, 102-106 and 108-143 are pending in the application. Applicant apologizes for the confusion about claim 91. Claim 91 should not have been cancelled and should be amended as indicated above.